STATE OF VERMONT PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD

Docket No. 7745

Investigation into Central Vermont Public Service)
Corporation's Municipal Street and Highway Lighting)
Service (Rate 06))

Order entered: 8/2/2011

PREHEARING CONFERENCE MEMORANDUM AND SCHEDULING ORDER

On June 2, 2011, Central Vermont Public Service Corporation ("CVPS") filed proposed changes to its street lighting tariff to be effective with service rendered on and after July 18, 2011 (Tariff Filing No. 8233).

On July 15, 2011, the Public Service Board ("Board") issued an Order allowing CVPS's modifications to its tariff to take effect on July 18 and opening an investigation into CVPS's tariff with a focus on issues associated with the discrepancy between CVPS's rates for leased Light-Emitting Diodes ("LED") fixtures and for fixtures owned and maintained by customers.

On August 2, 2011, I held a prehearing conference in this Docket. Appearances were entered by: Carolyn Browne Anderson, Esq., on behalf of CVPS; and Louise Porter, Esq., on behalf of the Vermont Department of Public Service ("DPS"). Also present was Tig Tillinghast, Chair of the Thetford Selectboard, on behalf of the Town of Thetford.

At the prehearing conference, the parties developed the following schedule, which I adopt:

August 30 or 31, 2011 Public Hearing via Vermont Interactive Television ("VIT")¹
September 7, 2011 Deadline for Motions to Intervene

^{1.} The exact date for the Public Hearing will be established after availability of VIT sites has been verified.

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September 14, 2011 Responses to Motions to Intervene²

October 14, 2011 Parties file Stipulation, if any, OR CVPS files a Status Report

with a proposed or stipulated schedule for the remainder of the

proceeding.

SO ORDERED.

Dated at Montpelier, Vermont, this 2nd day of August , 2011.

s/Bridgette Remington
Bridgette Remington, Esq.
Hearing Officer

OFFICE OF THE CLERK

FILED: August 2, 2011

ATTEST: s/Susan M. Hudson

Clerk of the Board

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^{2.} If intervention motions are filed prior to the Deadline for Motions to Intervene, the parties shall have seven calendar days to file a response to any such motions.